

**SENATE JOURNAL  
63RD LEGISLATURE  
THIRD LEGISLATIVE DAY**

Helena, Montana  
January 9, 2013

Senate Chambers  
State Capitol

Senate convened at 1:02 p.m. President Essmann presiding. Invocation by Father Jerry Lowney. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Roll Call. All members present, except Senators Brenden, Priest, and Ripley, excused. Quorum present.

**BILLS AND JOURNALS:**

Correctly engrossed: **SJR 1**.

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES**

**RULES** (Wittich, Chair):

1/9/2013

**SR 1**, be adopted as amended. Report adopted.

**FIRST READING AND COMMITMENT OF BILLS**

The following Senate bills were introduced, read first time, and referred to committees:

**SB 94**, introduced by D. Brown, referred to Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation.

**SB 95**, introduced by Tutvedt, referred to Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation.

**SB 96**, introduced by Tutvedt, referred to Taxation.

**SB 97**, introduced by Priest, referred to Judiciary.

**SB 98**, introduced by Priest, referred to Judiciary.

**SB 99**, introduced by Olson, referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

**SB 100**, introduced by D. Brown, referred to Taxation.

**SB 101**, introduced by Facey, referred to Fish and Game.

**SB 102**, introduced by Facey, referred to Education and Cultural Resources.

**SB 103**, introduced by Webb, referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

**SB 104**, introduced by Webb, referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

**SB 105**, introduced by T. Brown, referred to Judiciary.

**SB 106**, introduced by Jergeson, referred to Energy and Telecommunications.

**SB 107**, introduced by Facey, referred to Judiciary.

**SECOND READING OF BILLS  
(COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE)**

Senator Wittich moved the Senate resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for consideration of business on second reading. Motion carried. Senator Essmann in the chair.

Mr. President: We, your Committee of the Whole, having had under consideration business on

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second reading, recommend as follows:

**SJ 1** - Senator Wittich moved **SJ 1** be adopted. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Augare, Debby Barrett, Dick Barrett, Blewett, Boulanger, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Fielder, Hamlett, Jackson, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Lewis, Malek, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Peterson, Phillips, Rosendale, Sales, Sesso, Sonju, Stewart-Peregoy, Taylor, Thomas, Tropila, Tutvedt, Van Dyk, Vincent, Vuckovich, Walker, Wanzenried, Webb, Windy Boy, Wittich, Mr. President.

Total 47

Nays: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Brenden, Priest, Ripley.

Total 3

Senator Wittich moved the committee rise and report. Motion carried. Committee arose. Senate resumed. President Essmann in the chair.

Senator Wittich moved the Committee of the Whole report be adopted. Report adopted as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Augare, Debby Barrett, Dick Barrett, Blewett, Boulanger, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Fielder, Hamlett, Jackson, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Lewis, Malek, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Peterson, Phillips, Rosendale, Sales, Sesso, Sonju, Stewart-Peregoy, Taylor, Thomas, Tropila, Tutvedt, Van Dyk, Vincent, Vuckovich, Walker, Wanzenried, Webb, Windy Boy, Wittich, Mr. President.

Total 47

Nays: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Brenden, Priest, Ripley.

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**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

Mr. President, I move that the following undersigned names be **ADDED** as sponsors to **SB 37**

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Motion carried.

**SB 37** (Murphy, Chief Sponsor)

Senators Hamlett, Lewis, F. Moore, Ripley, Rosendale, Taylor, Thomas, and Walker.

Mr. President, I move that the following undersigned names be **ADDED** as sponsors to **SB 88**  
Motion carried.

**SB 88** (Dick Barrett, Chief Sponsor)

Senators Debby Barrett and Peterson.

**SPECIAL ORDERS OF THE DAY**

President Essmann announced the Senate will not be in floor session on Saturday, January 12, and that it was possible only one house would be in floor session on Saturday, January 19. Discussion ensued; Senator Keane requested the record reflect his disagreement with the possibility that all legislators would be paid for a day when only one house is in session.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Committee meetings were announced by the committee chairs.

Majority Leader Wittich moved that the Senate adjourn until 1:00 p.m., Thursday, January 10, 2013. Motion carried.

Senate adjourned at 1:40 p.m.

MARILYN MILLER  
Secretary of the Senate

JEFF ESSMANN  
President of the Senate